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SUBJECT: ZIMBABWE POINTS FOR OAS CAPITALS DEMARCHE DELIVERED

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[1](#)1. On May 27, CDA delivered reftel to MFA's Chief of Staff Antonio Alarcon, and we followed up on May 28 with Alejandro Solano, MFA Deputy Director of Foreign Policy. The two said they would study the issue but made no commitments.

[1](#)2. Solano asked how specifically the issue of OAS election observers would be raised next week in Medellin. He requested that if the U.S. was planning to propose a resolution, that we please circulate the text to the GOCR in advance. Please advise how to respond and provide text, if any, for distribution to the GOCR as appropriate.

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